IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE <sup>-</sup>Atty Dkt. 839-1470 In re Patent Application of C# TC/A.U. 1725 BEDDARD et al. Examiner: Kerns Serial No. 10/604,220 Date: May 17, 2006 July 1, 2003 Filed: PERIMETER-COOLED 1 BUCKET CORE STABILIZING DEVICE AND Title: RELATED METHOD Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon. ☐ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. Fees are attached as calculated below: minus highest number Total effective claims after amendment 5 \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$ x \$50.00 previously paid for 20 (at least 20) = minus highest number Independent claims after amendment 2 \$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$ (at least 3) = x \$200.00 previously paid for 3 If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add \$360.00 (1051)/\$180.00 (2051) \$ Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251) paper and attachment(s) Two Month Extensions \$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252) Three Month Extensions \$1020.00 (1253/\$510.00 (2253) Four Month Extensions \$1590.00 (1254/\$795.00 (2254) \$ \$130.00 (1814)/ \$65.00 (2814) \$ Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add ☐ Statement filed herewith Applicant claims "small entity" status. \$180.00 (1806) \$ Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee \$40.00 (8021) Assignment Recording Fee \$ Other: 0.00 **TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$** The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A <u>duplicate</u> copy of this sheet is attached.

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## **AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Official Action dated February 17, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5.